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- pages of specification, including 7 claims and an abstract. (X)
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- 8 sheet(s) of formal drawings(s). (X)
- Assignment(s) of the invention to FUJITSU LIMITED and Assignment Cover Sheet. (X)
- A check in the amount of \$40.00 to cover the fee for recording the assignment(s). (X)
- Information Disclosure Statement, PTO Form 1449 and cited references. (X)
- (X) Claim for Priority and Priority Documents (2).

Fee Calculation For Claims As Filed

a)	Basic Fee									\$ 770.00
b)	Independent Claims	2	-	3	=	_0	x	\$ 86.00	=	\$ <u>0</u>
c)	Total Claims	7	-	20	=	_0	x	\$ 18.00	=	\$ <u>0</u>
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